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The Honorable Ms. Jewell, Mr. McInnis and Mr. Blumenfeld;

Attached is a letter from Environmental Water Caucus regarding the Grassland Drainers most recent proposal to use Broadview Water District for disposal of toxic selenium and other pollutants that will likely damage water supplies and impact wildlife. Further as we wrote in November 2013, the proposed monitoring reductions at the Grasslands Bypass Project where these toxins are discharged into the San Joaquin River and Delta Estuary threaten to violate ESA requirements and threaten public health and the environment from selenium and other contaminants. We also sent a letter to the Bureau of Reclamation on April 22, 2013 raising similar concerns without any response.

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